# UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION III



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DATE:

February 27, 2012

SUBJECT:

Region III Data QA Review

FROM:

Colleen Walling

Region III ESAT RPO (3EA20)

TO:

Rich Fetzer

Remedial Project Manager (3HS31)

Attached is the organic data validation report for the Dimock Residential Groundwater site (DAS:# R33917; SDG: #5057872) completed by the Region III Environmental Services Assistance Team (ESAT) contractor under the direction of Region III EAID.

If you have any questions regarding this review, please call me at (410) 305-2763.

Attachment

TO: #0042

TDF: 02115 Data Validation

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TDF: #02085 Sample log-in processing

cc: Gene Nance (Techlaw) Suddha Graves (Techlaw)

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DATE:

February 27, 2012

SUBJECT:

Organic Data Validation (Level M3)

Site: Dimock

CASE: R33917, PROJECT: 5057872

FROM:

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Senior Data Reviewer

Senior Oversight Chemist

TO:

Colleen Walling

ESAT Region 3 Project Officer

### **OVERVIEW**

Case R33917, Project 5057872, from the Dimock site consisted of eight (8) aqueous samples including one (1) field blank and one (1) rinsate blank analyzed for ethylene glycol. All samples were submitted to Pace Analytical Services Incorporated (PACE). The samples were analyzed according to Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste SW-846 Method 8015B.

#### SUMMARY

Data were validated according to Region 3 Modifications to the National Functional Guidelines for Organic Data Review, Level M3 and is assigned the Superfund Data Validation Label S4VM (Stage\_4\_Validation\_Manual). No problems were detected during validation of these data.

#### NOTES

- No positive results were reported in the field samples in this data set. Therefore, no confirmation analyses were required.
- Samples EB01 and FB06 were assumed to be the rinsate and field blanks, respectively. The laboratory used sample EB01 for the Matrix Spike/Matrix Spike Duplicate (MS/MSD) analyses.
- Reported recoveries and Relative Percent Differences (RPDs) in the Laboratory Control Sample (LCS) analysis and MS/MSD analyses of sample EB01 were within control limits.

• The laboratory stated in the case narrative that method 8015B was used in the analyses of these samples. However, method 8015C is referenced as the method used for the analyses in the raw data. No action was taken by the reviewer based on this finding.

# **ATTACHMENTS**

- 1) Appendix A Glossary of Data Qualifiers
- 2) Appendix B Data Summary Forms
- 3) Appendix C Chain of Custody (COC) Records
- 4) Appendix D Laboratory Case Narrative

DCN: R33917\_Project 5057872DimockM3

# Appendix A

Glossary of Data Qualifiers

# GLOSSARY OF DATA QUALIFIER CODES (ORGANIC)

### **CODES RELATED TO IDENTIFICATION**

(confidence concerning presence or absence of compounds)

- U = Not detected. The associated number indicates approximate sample concentration necessary to be detected.
- NO CODE = Confirmed identification.
  - B = Not detected substantially above the level reported in laboratory or field blanks.
  - R = Unusable result. Analyte may or may not be present in the sample. Supporting data necessary to confirm result.
  - N = Tentative identification. Consider present.
    Special methods may be needed to confirm its presence or absence in future sampling efforts.

### **CODES RELATED TO QUANTITATION**

(can be used for both positive results and sample quantitation limits):

- J = Analyte present. Reported value may not be accurate or precise.
- K = Analyte present. Reported value may be biased high. Actual value is expected to be lower.
- L = Analyte present. Reported value may be biased low. Actual value is expected to be higher.
- UJ = Not detected, quantitation limit may be inaccurate or imprecise.
- UL = Not detected, quantitation limit is probably higher.

#### OTHER CODES

NJ = Qualitative identification questionable due to poor resolution. Presumptively present at approximate quantity.

Q = No analytical result.

# Appendix B

Data Summary Forms

Case #: R33917

Project: 5057872

Site:

DIMOCK

Lab.:

PACE

Number of Water Samples: 8

Sample Number: EB01			FB06		HW13		HW18		HW18-P		
Sample Station Location: EB01			FB06		HW13		HW18		HW18		
Laboratory ID :		5057872001		5057872002		5057872003		5057872004		5057872005	
Field QC:	<b>3</b>		Rinsate Blank Field B								
Matrix:		Water		Water		Water		Water		Water	
Units:		mg/L	mg/L mg/L		mg/L			mg/L		mg/L	
Date Sampled:		1/28/2012		1/30/2012		1/30/2012		1/30/2012		1/30/2012	
Time Sampled:	• **			09:30		11:23		11:27		11:52	
Dilution Factor:		1.0		1.0		1.0		1.0		1.0	
Volatile Compound	RL	Result	Flag	Result	Flag	Result	Flag	Result	Flag	Result	Flag
Ethylene glycol	10										

	- Addition B. Colombia							<u> </u>		
Sample Number:	HW20		HW20-P		HW25-P				****	
Sample Station Location: HW20		HW20 HW20			HW25					
Laboratory ID:	5057872006		5057872007		5057872008					
Field QC:	:									
Matrix:	Water	3	Water		Water			Section 1		
Units:	mg/L		mg/L		mg/L		76			
Date Sampled:	1/30/2012		1/30/2012		1/30/2012					
Time Sampled:	16:12		16:29		15:32	8800000		I		
Dilution Factor:	1.0		1.0		1.0					:
Volatile Compound RL	Result	Flag	Result	Flag	Result	Flag	Result	Flag	Result	Flag
Ethylene glycol 10										

# Appendix C

Chain of Custody (COC) Records

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USEPA CLP Generic COC (LAB COPY)

DateShipped: 1/31/2012 CarrierName: FedEx AirbillNo: 7980 0495 6181 CHAIN OF CUSTODY RECORD

CASE R33917 Case Complete: False 50578+2

No: 3-013112-110607-0039

Lab: PACE Analytical DIM

Lab Contact:

Lab Phone: 317.875.5894

Sample #	Matrix/Sampler	Coll. Method	Analysis/Turnaround	Tag/Preservative/Bottles	Station Location	Collected	For Lab Use Only
EB01	Aqueous/ Tom Sediacek	Grab	EthyGlycol(7), EthyGlycol(7)	881 (-NA- / 40miGlassVial), 882 (-NA- / 40miGlassVial) (2)	EB01	01/28/2012 11:26	-001
F806	Aqueous/ Dan Jacobsen	Grab	EthyGlycol(7), EthyGlycol(7)	1127 (-NA- / 40miGlassVial), 1128 (-NA- / 40miGlassVial) (2)	FB06	01/30/2012 09:30	-002
HW13	Drinking Water/ Bryan Berna	Grab	EthyGiycol(7), EthyGiycol(7)	1164 (-NA- / 40miGlassVial), 1165 (-NA- / 40miGlassVial) (2)	HW13	01/30/2012 11:23	-003
HW18	Drinking Water/ Mike Ferrier	Grab	EthyGlycol(7), EthyGlycol(7)	1200 (-NA- / 40mlGlassVial), 1201 (-NA- / 40mlGlassVial) (2)	HW18	01/30/2012 11:27	1004
HW18-P	Drinking Water/ David Johnson	Grab	EthyGlycol(7), EthyGlycol(7)	1236 (-NA- / 40miGlassVial), 1237 (-NA- / 40miGlassVial) (2)	HW18	01/30/2012 11:52	2005
HW20	Drinking Water/ Mike Ferrier	Grab	EthyGlycol(7), EthyGlycol(7)	1348 (-NA- / 40miGlassVial), 1349 (-NA- / 40miGlassVial) (2)	HW20	01/30/2012 16:12	1006
HW20-P	Drinking Water/ David Johnson	Grab	EthyGlycol(7), EthyGlycol(7)	1313 (-NA- / 40mlGlassVial), 1314 (-NA- / 40mlGlassVial) (2)	HW20	01/30/2012 16:29	1007
HW25-P	Drinking Water/ Bryan Berna	Grab	EthyGlycol(7), EthyGlycol(7)	1283 (-NA- / 40mlGlassVial), 2096 (-NA- / 40mlGlassVial) (2)	HW25	01/30/2012 15:32	800-

Special Instructions:

Shipment for Case Complete? N
Samples Transferred From Chain of Custody #

Analysis Key: EthyGlycol=17-Ethylene Glycol

Items/Reason	Relinquished by	Date	Received by	Date	Time	Items/Reason	Relinquished By	Date	Received by	Date	Time
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# Appendix D

Laboratory Case Narrative



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February 20, 2012

Gene Nance TechLaw, Inc. 2208 Warwood Ave Wheeling, WV 26003

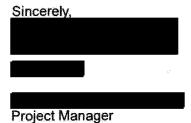
RE: Project: R33917

Pace Project No.: 5057872\_Revised report\_Updated Method Blank analysis time.

### Dear Gene Nance:

Enclosed are the analytical results for sample(s) received by the laboratory on February 01, 2012. The results relate only to the samples included in this report. Results reported herein conform to the most current TNI standards and the laboratory's Quality Assurance Manual, where applicable, unless otherwise noted in the body of the report.

If you have any questions concerning this report, please feel free to contact me.



**Enclosures** 

cc: Fred Foreman, EPA Suddha Graves, TechLaw, Inc.



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### SAMPLE SUMMARY

Project:

R33917

Pace Project No.: 5057872

Lab ID	Sample ID	Matrix	Date Collected	Date Received
5057872001	EB01	Water	01/28/12 11:26	02/01/12 07:59
5057872002	FB06	Water	01/30/12 09:30	02/01/12 07:59
5057872003	HW13	Water	01/30/12 11:23	02/01/12 07:59
5057872004	HW18	Water	01/30/12 11:27	02/01/12 07:59
5057872005	HW18-P	Water	01/30/12 11:52	02/01/12 07:59
5057872006	HVV20	Water	01/30/12 16:12	02/01/12 07:59
5057872007	HW20-P	Water	01/30/12 16:29	02/01/12 07:59
5057872008	HW25-P	Water	01/30/12 15:32	02/01/12 07:59

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#### **QUALIFIERS**

Project:

R33917

Pace Project No.:

5057872

#### **DEFINITIONS**

DF - Dilution Factor, if reported, represents the factor applied to the reported data due to changes in sample preparation, dilution of the sample aliquot, or moisture content.

ND - Not Detected at or above adjusted reporting limit.

J - Estimated concentration above the adjusted method detection limit and below the adjusted reporting limit.

MDL - Adjusted Method Detection Limit.

S - Surrogate

1,2-Diphenylhydrazine (8270 listed analyte) decomposes to Azobenzene.

Consistent with EPA guidelines, unrounded data are displayed and have been used to calculate % recovery and RPD values.

LCS(D) - Laboratory Control Sample (Duplicate)

MS(D) - Matrix Spike (Duplicate)

**DUP - Sample Duplicate** 

RPD - Relative Percent Difference

NC - Not Calculable.

SG - Silica Gel - Clean-Up

U - Indicates the compound was analyzed for, but not detected.

N-Nitrosodiphenylamine decomposes and cannot be separated from Diphenylamine using Method 8270. The result reported for each analyte is a combined concentration.

Pace Analytical is TNI accredited. Contact your Pace PM for the current list of accredited analytes.

TNI - The NELAC Institute.

Date: 02/20/2012 02:56 PM

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# ATTACHMENT 2

# Appendix A

Form Is



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#### **ANALYTICAL RESULTS**

Project:

R33917

Pace Project No.:

5057872

**Parameters** 

Sample: EB01

Lab ID: 5057872001

Results

Collected: 01/28/12 11:26

MDL

Prepared

Received: 02/01/12 07:59

Analyzed

Matrix: Water

CAS No.

Qual

8015M Alcohols

Analytical Method: EPA 8015B Modified

Units

Ethylene glycol

ND mg/L

10.0

Report

Limit

5.0

DF

02/02/12 16:20 107-21-1

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#### **ANALYTICAL RESULTS**

Project:

R33917

Pace Project No.:

5057872

Parameters

Sample: FB06

Results

Lab ID: 5057872002

Units

MDL

Collected: 01/30/12 09:30

DF

Prepared

Received: 02/01/12 07:59

Analyzed

Matrix: Water

CAS No.

Qual

8015M Alcohols

Analytical Method: EPA 8015B Modified

Ethylene glycol

ND mg/L

10.0

Report

Limit

5.0 1 02/02/12 16:25 107-21-1

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#### **ANALYTICAL RESULTS**

Project:

R33917

Pace Project No.: 50

**Parameters** 

5057872

Sample: HW13

Lab ID: 5057872003

Collected: 01/30/12 11:23

MDL

Received: 02/01/12 07:59 Ma

Prepared

Matrix: Water

CAS No.

Qual

8015M Alcohols

Analytical Method: EPA 8015B Modified

Units

Ethylene glycol

ND mg/L

Results

10.0

Report

Limit

5.0 1

DF

02/02/12 16:30 107-21-1

Analyzed

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#### **ANALYTICAL RESULTS**

Project:

R33917

Pace Project No.:

5057872

**Parameters** 

Sample: HW18

Lab ID: 5057872004

Collected: 01/30/12 11:27

MDL

Received: 02/01/12 07:59

Prepared

i9 Matrix: Water

Qual

CAS No.

8015M Alcohols

Analytical Method: EPA 8015B Modified

Units

Ethylene glycol

ND mg/L

Results

10.0

Report

Limit

5.0 1

DF

02/02/12 16:35 107-21-1

Analyzed

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#### **ANALYTICAL RESULTS**

Project:

R33917

Pace Project No.:

**Parameters** 

5057872

Sample: HW18-P

Lab ID: 5057872005

Collected: 01/30/12 11:52

MDL

Received: 02/01/12 07:59

Prepared

Analyzed

CAS No. Qual

8015M Alcohols

Analytical Method: EPA 8015B Modified

Units

Ethylene glycol

ND mg/L

Results

10.0

Report

Limit

5.0 1 02/02/12 16:40 107-21-1

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#### **ANALYTICAL RESULTS**

Project:

R33917

Pace Project No.:

5057872

Sample: HW20

**Parameters** 

Lab ID: 5057872006

Results

Report

Limit

Collected: 01/30/12 16:12

MDL

Prepared

Received: 02/01/12 07:59

Analyzed

Matrix: Water

CAS No.

Qual

8015M Alcohols

Analytical Method: EPA 8015B Modified

Units

Ethylene glycol

ND mg/L

10.0

5.0 1

DF

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#### **ANALYTICAL RESULTS**

Project:

R33917

Pace Project No.:

5057872

Sample: HW20-P

**Parameters** 

Lab ID: 5057872007

Collected: 01/30/12 16:29

MDL

Received: 02/01/12 07:59

Prepared

Matrix: Water

CAS No.

Qual

8015M Alcohols

Analytical Method: EPA 8015B Modified

Units

Ethylene glycol

ND mg/L

Results

10.0

Report

Limit

5.0 1

DF

02/02/12 16:50 107-21-1

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#### **ANALYTICAL RESULTS**

Project:

R33917

Pace Project No.:

5057872

Sample: HW25-P

**Parameters** 

Lab ID: 5057872008

Report

Limit

Collected: 01/30/12 15:32

DF

MDL

Received: 02/01/12 07:59

Prepared

Matrix: Water

CAS No.

Qual

8015M Alcohols

Analytical Method: EPA 8015B Modified

Units

Ethylene glycol

ND mg/L

Results

10.0

5.0 1 02/02/12 16:55 107-21-1

Analyzed

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# Appendix B

Support Documentation



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#### **QUALITY CONTROL DATA**

Project:

R33917

Pace Project No.:

5057872

QC Batch:

GCSV/8845

Analysis Method:

EPA 8015B Modified

QC Batch Method:

EPA 80158 Modified

Analysis Description:

EPA 8015 Modified

Associated Lab Samples:

5057872001, 5057872002, 5057872003, 5057872004, 5057872005, 5057872006, 5057872007, 5057872008

METHOD BLANK: 681420

Matrix: Water

Associated Lab Samples:

5057872001, 5057872002, 5057872003, 5057872004, 5057872005, 5057872006, 5057872007, 5057872008

Blank Result Reporting

Parameter Units Limit

Analyzed Qualifiers

Ethylene glycol

mg/L

ND

10.0 02/02/12 15:33

LABORATORY CONTROL SAMPLE:

Parameter

Parameter

Spike

LCS Result

LCS % Rec % Rec

Ethylene glycol

Units

mg/L

Conc.

279

Limits

Qualifiers

Ethylene glycol

mg/L

Units

5057872001

Result

250

112

78-118

MATRIX SPIKE & MATRIX SPIKE DUPLICATE:

681422

ND

MSD

MS

681423

MSD MS Result % Rec MSD

% Rec Limits

Max RPD RPD

Qual

MS Spike

Conc.

250

Spike Conc. 250

Result 242

211

% Rec 96

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#### Pace Analytical Services, Inc.

### INITIAL CALIBRATION DATA

Start Cal Date : 02-FEB-2012 14:57 End Cal Date : 02-FEB-2012 15:23 Quant Method : ESTD

Quant Method Target Version : 4.14

Integrator Method file : Falcon : \\192.168.50.6\chem\50GCS2.i\020212A\081110dsp.m : 03-Feb-2012 08:59 rkercheval

Last Edit

Calibration File Names:
Level 1: \\192.168.50.6\chem\50GCS2.i\\020212A\003f0301.d
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Level 6: \\192.168.50.6\chem\50GCS2.i\\020212A\007f0301.d

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1 Propylene glycol	l	887	1063	967	892	890	1137 AVRG	1	973		10.86288
2 Ethylene glycol	1	802	789	643	668	675	742 AVRG	1	720		9.35179
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Inst ID: 50GCS2.i CEM Operator

: ICV 14732 Smp Info

Misc Info :

Comment : Alcohol Analysis by SW846 8015C FID

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Cal File: 008f0301.d Cal Date : 02-FEB-2012 15:23

Als bottle: 9 Dil Factor: 1.00000 Integrator: Falcon

Compound Sublist: all.sub

Target Version: 4.14

Processing Host: 50-VOA-RAK

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1 Propylene glycol	1.936 1.937 -0.001	271018 278.659	278.65	100
2 Ethylene glycol	2.066 2.067 -0.001	207418 288.178	288.17	9.6